

THE REMARKS

The Amendment

The specification on pages 3, 4, and 8-11 is amended to insert SEQ ID NO. information.

Claims 3 and 4 are amended insert SEQ ID NO. information.

Claims 5 and 6 are canceled as being directed to a non-elected group of invention.

Support for new Claims 7 and 8 are found, for example, in Claims 2-4 as originally filed.

No new matter is added to any of the above amendments. The Examiner is requested to enter the amendments.

The Response

Compliance of Sequence Listing

Applicants amend the specification to insert SEQ ID NO. information in order to comply with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821 to 1.825.

Improper Dependent Claims

Applicants amend the claims so that there is no improper dependent claims.

Restriction Requirement

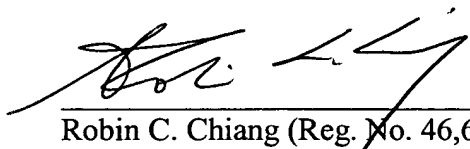
In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicants hereby elect the invention Group I. Applicants expressly reserve the right to reintroduce Claims 5 and 6 in the event Claims 1-3 are found allowable. Applicants also expressly reserve the right to prosecute claims directed to the remaining allegedly distinct groups in one or more continuing or divisional applications.

CONCLUSION

Applicant believes that the application is in good and proper condition for allowance. If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned at (650) 463-8127.

Respectfully submitted,

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